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三拜禮 號一月四英港香

THIRTY DOLLARS  
PER ANNUM.

## Banks.

### THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

Authorized Capital.....\$1,000,000  
Subscribed Capital.....\$500,000

#### HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:  
D. Gilles, Esq., | Chow Tung Shing, Esq.,  
H. Stoller, Esq., | Kwan Hoi Chuen, Esq.,  
Chan Kiti Shan, Esq., |  
Chief Manager,  
GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per Cent.  
Hongkong, 21st October, 1895.

### THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL.....\$1,500,000  
SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,125,000  
PAID-UP.....\$562,500

#### BANKERS:

LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT

ACCOUNTS at the Rate of 2 per cent.  
per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON NEW FIXED DEPOSITS—  
For 12 Months.....4 per cent.  
" 6 ".....3 1/2 " "  
" 3 ".....3 " "  
DEPOSITS RENEWED ON OLD TERMS.  
J. W. R. TAYLOR,  
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 18th December, 1895.

### THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1853.  
HEAD OFFICE—LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID-UP.....\$300,000  
RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARE-  
HOLDERS.....\$800,000  
RESERVE FUND.....\$325,000

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT

ACCOUNT at the Rate of 3 per cent. per  
annum on the Daily Balance.

On Fixed Deposits for 12 months.....4 per cent.  
" 6 ".....3 1/2 " "  
" 3 ".....3 " "

T. H. WHITEHEAD,  
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 16th September, 1895.

### HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$10,000,000  
RESERVE FUND.....\$5,750,000  
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS.....\$10,000,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS:  
A. McCONACHIE, Esq.—Chairman.  
St. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq.—Deputy Chairman.  
Hon. J. J. Bell-Irving, Esq., | J. Kramer, Esq.,  
G. B. Dackwell, Esq., | D. R. Sisson, Esq.,  
M. D. Eckel, Esq., | W. A. Sells, Esq.,  
R. M. Gray, Esq., |  
CHIEF MANAGER:  
Hongkong—T. JACKSON, Esq.,  
MANAGER:  
Shanghai—J. P. WADE GARDNER, Esq.,  
LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY  
BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.  
HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED  
On Current Account at the rate of 2 per Cent.  
per Annum on the daily balance.

INTEREST ON FIXED DEPOSITS:  
For 3 months, 2 1/2 per Cent. per Annum.  
For 6 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum.  
For 12 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum.  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 15th February, 1896.

### HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE Business of the above Bank is conducted  
by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be  
obtained on application.

INTEREST ON DEPOSITS is allowed at 3 1/2 PER  
CENT. per annum.

Depositors may transfer at their option  
balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND  
SHANGHAI BANK to be placed on FIXED  
DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 1st August, 1895.

## Intimations.

### CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT

7 PER CENT. SILVER  
LOAN OF 1895, £.

#### 19TH HALF YEARLY DRAWING.

INTEREST DUE AND DRAWN BONDS OF  
this LOAN will be PAYABLE at the  
OFFICES of the CORPORATION on and after the  
31st March, 1896.

Lists of Drawn Bonds can be obtained on  
application to the Undersigned.

For the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING  
CORPORATION,  
Agents issuing the Loan,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 30th March, 1896.

### OLIVERS FREEHOLD MINES, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FIRST  
GENERAL MEETING of SHARE-  
HOLDERS in the above Company will be held  
at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, Nos. 38 & 40,  
Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on  
SATURDAY, the 11th day of April next, at  
NOON.

Dated Hongkong 31st March 1896.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,  
General Managers.

### THE RAUB AUSTRALIAN GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

A DIVIDEND OF SIX PENCE per Share  
has been Declared, PAYABLE on the  
15th May, 1896, in BRISBANE, in respect of  
Shares in the Brisbane Register and in  
Singapore in respect of Shares in the Singapore  
Register.

Notice is hereby given that the Singapore  
Branch Register will be CLOSED from 8th to  
15th May, 1896, inclusive.

By Order of the Directors,  
G. A. DERRICK,  
Local Secretary.

Singapore, 2nd March, 1896.

## Insurances.

### THE STANDARD

is one of the LARGEST and BEST KNOWN  
of the BRITISH LIFE OFFICES.

FUNDS exceed EIGHT MILLIONS STERLING.  
ANNUAL REVENUE OVER ONE MILLION  
STERLING.

For Forms of Proposal and every information.  
Apply to.

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, 2nd March, 1896.

### NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

THE Undersigned AGENTS of the above  
Company are prepared to accept First  
Class FOREIGN and CHINESE RISKS at  
CURRENT RATES.

SIEMSEN & Co.,  
Hongkong, 28th May, 1895.

### THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept  
MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS,  
&c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world  
payable at any of its Agencies.

CHAU TSEUNG FAT,  
Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE,  
No. 4, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.

Hongkong, 26th May, 1895.

### GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY,  
(LIMITED.)

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000 } \$335,333-33  
EQUAL TO..... }  
RESERVE FUND..... } \$318,000-00.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.  
LEE SING, Esq., | LO YUK MOON, Esq.,  
LOU TAO SHUN, Esq., |

MANAGER.—HO AMEL.

MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken  
at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the  
World.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.

Hongkong, 19th December, 1895.

## Intimations.

### BANK HOLIDAYS.

IN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875  
the Undersigned BANKS will be  
CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business  
on FRIDAY, the 3rd April (GOOD FRIDAY) and  
on MONDAY, the 6th April (EASTER MONDAY).

For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA,  
AUSTRALIA AND CHINA,  
T. H. WHITEHEAD,  
Manager, Hongkong.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING  
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T. JACKSON,  
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LIMITED,  
J. W. R. TAYLOR,  
Manager, Hongkong.

For the BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE,  
Hongkong Agency,  
L. SIMON,  
Acting Manager.

For the BANK OF CHINA & JAPAN, LIMITED,  
HONGKONG,  
CHANTREY INCHBALD,  
Manager.

Hongkong, 30th March, 1896.

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the 6th April (EASTER MONDAY).

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,  
General Agents,  
CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LD.  
General Managers,  
HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO., LD.  
N. J. EDELL,  
Secretary,  
UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF  
CANTON, LD.  
L. KENNARD DAVIS,  
Acting Agent,  
NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE CO., LD.  
W. H. RAY,  
Secretary,  
CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE CO., LD.  
SHEWAN & CO.,  
Agents,  
YANKEE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION, LD.  
GEORGE L. TOMLIN,  
Acting Secretary,  
CHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO., LD.  
WM. MACBEAN,  
Manager,  
THE STRAITS INSURANCE CO., LD.  
Hongkong, 30th March, 1896.

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By Order of the Directors,  
G. A. DERRICK,  
Local Secretary.

Singapore, 2nd March, 1896.

## Intimations.

### PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

FOR STEAMERS CAPTAINS TO SAIL REMARKS

STRAITS AND BOMBAY.....S. Barcham.....Noon, 4th April.....Freight or Passage.  
(Calling at Colombo if sufficient inducement offers).

SHANGHAI.....Pekin.....J. F. Johnson.....About 5th April.....Freight or Passage.  
LONDON.....Formosa.....E. P. Bishop.....5 P.M., 7th April.....Freight or Passage.

JAPAN, &c.....Java.....F. N. Tildard.....D'light, 8th April.....Freight or Passage.  
(Passing through the Island Sea.)  
See Special Advertisement.

LONDON, &c.....Kaitum-Hind.....C. L. Daniel.....Nose, 9th April.....Freight or Passage.  
(Passing through the Island Sea.)  
See Special Advertisement.

JAPAN, &c.....Ancon.....W. D. Mudie.....Noon, 10th April.....Freight or Passage.  
(Passing through the Island Sea.)  
See Special Advertisement.

LONDON.....Shanghai.....J. Cowie, R.N.R.....About 15th April.....Freight or Passage.

For Further Particulars, apply to  
ALF. WOOLLEY, Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, 1st April, 1896.

### THE CLUB HOTEL, 5, BUND, YOKOHAMA.

### HOTEL METROPOLE, 1, TSUKUJI, TOKYO.

FIRST-CLASS HOTELS, centrally situated, well-furnished, the Cuisine under the Supervi-  
sion of approved French Chef has no equal. ENTIRE FOREIGN MANAGEMENT.  
Experienced English matron in attendance.

The Hotel steam-launch with European Agent attends arrivals and departures; every  
assistance given in clearing luggage and affording information. Passengers are met at the  
Railway Station.

VISITORS have the option of messing either in TOKYO or YOKOHAMA, without extra  
charge—THE ONLY HOTEL OFFERING SUCH AN ADVANTAGE. EUROPEAN HAIR DRESSER  
on the Premises.

Certified Guides are in attendance at both Hotels.

THE CLUB HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED, PROPRIETORS.

E. V. SIOEN, Manager, YOKOHAMA. | L. DEWETTE, Manager, TOKYO.

## MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.

1,400 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "EXCELSIOR," HONGKONG, A. B. C. Code. No. 35.

THE TEMPERATURE IS AT LEAST 10 DEGREES COOLER THAN IN QUEEN'S ROAD.

TIFFIN AT 1 P.M. DINNER AT 8 P.M.

ARRANGEMENTS can be made for TIFFIN or DINNER PARTIES in PRIVATE DINING-ROOM.

For further Particulars apply to  
THE MANAGER,  
MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.

Hongkong, 27th July, 1895.

## THE PHARMACY.

Now Opening out a Fresh Supply of:  
HAIR, NAIL, TOOTH and SHAVING BRUSHES.  
TURKEY and BATH SPONGES.  
SUN GLASSES, in various Shapes.

SOLE HONGKONG AGENTS for—  
NIWO MEDICINAL WATER  
and TANSAN—The now WELL-KNOWN and POPULAR JAPANESE TABLE WATER.

FLETCHER & CO.

## KELLY & WALSH, LD.

### CIGARETTES.

SWEET CAPORAL.

BIRD'S EYE.

THREE CASTLES.

Hongkong, 28th March, 1896.

### TOBACCOS.

WILL'S BRISTOL BIRD'S EYE.  
THREE CASTLES.  
PIONEER BRAND.  
CAPTAIN NAVY CUT.  
OUR MUTUAL FRIEND.  
COPE'S BIRD'S EYE.

Hongkong, 28th March, 1896.

## MEALS

MONTHLY RATES FOR AT H.K. HOTEL.

Breakfast.....\$1.00  
Dinner.....\$1.50  
All 3 Meals.....\$4.50

## THE HONGKONG BUTCHERY.

Nos. 11, 13 and 15 Central Market.

TRY OUR.

VEAL SAUSAGES 2 1/2 CENTS per lb.

Bologna SAUSAGES 30 CENTS per lb.

BY SHIPPING AND COAST FORT ORDERS WILL HAVE PROMPT ATTENTION.

J. TATAM.

Hongkong, 17th February, 1896.

## Intimations.

### BELL'S ASBESTOS EASTERN AGENCY, LIMITED.

HONGKONG HOTEL—PRAYA.

Sole Eastern Agents for

SPRINTOR GRIP ARMOURD HOSE.

SNOWDON, SONS & Co. "SNOW-  
DRIFT" MANUFACTURER.

THE NEW WIRE WOVE ROOFING CO.

THE ALUMINIUM AND GENERAL  
FOUNDRY CO.

BELL'S METALLIC and ASBESTOS PACKINGS are unequalled for both Compound and  
Triple Expansion Engines.

COTTON PARAGON PACKING, TUCK'S PACKING and all kinds of joinings kept in stock.  
SPECIALLY MADE CLOTH FOR FILTERS. ENGINE and CYLINDER OILS.

W. JACKSON, Manager.

Hongkong, 27th February, 1896.

## LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

GENERAL STORE-KEEPERS and COMMISSION AGENTS.  
SHIPCHANDLERY DEPARTMENT.

SIR CHAS. PRICE & Co.'s ENGINE and CYLINDER OILS.  
ENGLBERT'S CYLINDER OIL.  
CRANE'S CYLINDER OIL.  
VALVOLINE, CASTOR OIL, &c., &c.

TUCK'S GENUINE PATENT PACKING.  
ASBESTOS PACKINGS of all kinds.

ROPE, CANVAS, &c. PARAGON PATENT PACKING.  
HUBBUCK'S PAINTS and VARNISHES.  
HOLZAPFEL'S PATENT COMPOSITION, ANTI-CORROSION and ANTI-FOULING, for  
STEEL VESSELS.

SOAPSTONE ENAMEL COMPOSITIONS for HOLDS, BUNKERS and TOP-SIDES.  
FRESH WATER SUPPLIED.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

Hongkong, 4th February, 1896.

## NOTICE.

We have REMOVED to the more Commo-  
dious Premises No. 12, QUEEN'S ROAD

YUEN W. O. CENTRAL.

TELEPHONE, No. 135.

## GANDE PRICE & CO.,

WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS.

Hongkong, 30th March, 1896.

OUR GREAT AIM IS TO SUPPLY OUR CUSTOMERS WITH THE VERY BEST  
ARTICLE AT A LOW PRICE.

THAT IS WHY WE ARE INTRODUCING  
BRAUN'S "EXPORT" BEER

PRICE—  
\$10.50 per Case of 6 dozen Pints. \$12.50 per Case of 4 dozen Quarts.  
Cash on Delivery.

THE SEATTLE BREWING & MALTING CO., CHINA-JAPAN AGENCY.  
Head Office—8, D'Aguilar Street, Hongkong.

For price and terms, apply to  
THE MANAGER.

Hongkong, 22nd January, 1896.

## EXPLOSION IMPOSSIBLE.

### JASTRAM'S PATENT

GOLDEN MEDAL

### PETROLEUM ENGINES

OF 2 TO 12 H.P.

FOR FACTORIES and LAUNCHES.

WORKED BY ORDINARY PETROLEUM.

Consumption of Petroleum 1 lb. per H.P. and Hour.

A Working Stationary Engine and a Launch with 4 H.P.

Engine will be shown and full particulars be given on application.

SCHIELE & CO., HONGKONG,  
SOLE AGENTS FOR THE EAST.

NO PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER REQUIRED.

## FOR SALE.

### G. H. MUMM & CO'S CHAMPAGNE.

In cases of 2 doz. pints.....\$35 per case.  
do " " quarts.....\$33 " "

SHEWAN & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, 13th May, 1895.

## SHERRIES.

OLOROSO, red seal (fine nutty golden).....\$15.00 PER DOZEN.

AMONTILLADO, white seal (choicest dry).....\$20.00

SOLERA, yellow seal (truly golden).....\$20.00

SOLERA, black seal (a very dark fruity wine, vin. 1880).....\$25.00

AMOROSO, green seal (rich golden).....\$30.00



### Today's Advertisements.

**HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.**  
PROGRAMME OF FOURTEENTH PRIZE MEETING.  
TO BE HELD AT KOWLOON  
ON  
FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY,  
April 3rd, 4th and 5th, 1896.

President:  
Major The Hon. E. NOEL, R.E.

Committee:  
Arthur Chapman, Esq.; C. Ford, Esq.; Lieut. Hoey, R.E.; T. Jackson, Esq.; Major G. K. Moore, A.P.D.; Capt. Palmer, D.A.C.G.O.; Capt. Retallick, H.K.R.; F. Robinson, Esq.; G. J. B. Sayer, Esq.; E. C. Shepherd, Esq.; F. Smyth, Esq.; W. Stewart, Esq.; Inspector A. Watson; Major Wootlesley, R.E.

Hon. Treasurer:  
ARTHUR CHAPMAN, Esq.

Hon. Secretary:  
F. SMYTH, Esq.

1.—All Competitors.—Distance 200 yards. No. of Shots.—Seven. Unlimited entries, 30 cents each. Ten prizes, value \$45. See conditions No. 10.

2.—Martini-Henry Carbine Competition.—Distance 200 yards. Members only. No. of Shots.—Seven. Entrance 50 cents. Four prizes, value 70 per cent. of the entries with \$10 added.

3.—Queen's Rifle Competition.—Distance 200 yards. Members only. No. of Shots.—Seven. Entrance 50 cents. Four prizes, value 70 per cent. of the entries with \$10 added. Position—Standing or Kneeling.

4.—Ladies' Tournament.—Open to Lady Members or their Nominations.—Distance 300 yards. No. of Shots.—Seven. No entrance fee. See conditions No. 3 and 14. Prizes presented.

5.—Association.—300 yards. Members only. Monday after 10 a.m. No. of Shots.—Seven. Unlimited entries, 30 cents each. Five prizes, 70 per cent. of entries.

6.—Martini-Henry Carbine Competition.—Distance 200 yards. Members only. No. of Shots.—Seven. Entrance 50 cents. Four prizes, value 70 per cent. of the entries with \$10 added.

7.—All Competitors.—Distance 500 yards. No. of Shots.—Seven. Unlimited entries 30 cents each. Ten prizes, value \$45. See conditions No. 10.

8.—Queen's Rifle Competition.—Distance 200 yards. Members only. No. of Shots.—Seven. Entrance 50 cents. Four prizes, value 70 per cent. of the entries with \$10 added.

9.—Queen's Rifle Competition.—Distance 200 yards. Members only. No. of Shots.—Seven. Entrance 50 cents. Four prizes, value 70 per cent. of the entries with \$10 added.

10.—Queen's Rifle Competition.—Distance 200 yards. Members only. No. of Shots.—Seven. Entrance 50 cents. Four prizes, value 70 per cent. of the entries with \$10 added.

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16.—Queen's Rifle Competition.—Distance 200 yards. Members only. No. of Shots.—Seven. Entrance 50 cents. Four prizes, value 70 per cent. of the entries with \$10 added.

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33.—Queen's Rifle Competition.—Distance 200 yards. Members only. No. of Shots.—Seven. Entrance 50 cents. Four prizes, value 70 per cent. of the entries with \$10 added.

### Today's Advertisements.

23.—Non-Professional Club.—Distance 300 yards. No. of Shots.—Seven. Open to Members of the Rifle Association who have not won a Prize of any description for Rifle Shooting during the past 7 years. Position.—Standing or Kneeling. Entrance \$1.00. First prize the "Novices" Cup, presented, and two others prizes 70 per cent. of the entries. The second class target will be used for this competition.

#### CONDITIONS, &c.

1.—Entries must be sent in with the requisite fees for all competitions (except Nos. 1, 4, 5, 7, 12, 13, and 23) to the Hon. Treasurer, Arthur Chapman, Esq., The Treasury, before noon on Thursday, 2nd April, after which time doubt Entrance Fees will be charged.

2.—In all competitions three competitors must enter or there will be no first prize, four or no second, six or no third, and so on.

3.—Competition No. 4.—The Ladies' Tournament—is open to Members, nominated by Lady Members, present in the colony at the time of nomination. No Lady to nominate more than one representative, nor any member to shoot for more than one Lady. Each Lady to present her Champion with a colour, or favour, to be worn by him whilst shooting, without which no one will be admitted to shoot.

4.—Rifles.—Martini-Henry, M.H. Carbine, and the English Service Magazine Rifle only to be used, except in Competitions Nos. 1, 5, 7, 12, and 13, in which any *load* *fire* current service Rifle, properly authorized to the Committee, will be allowed. Pull off 6 lbs. Rifles may be tested before and/or after shooting.

5.—Slugs.—Slugs of paper or other substance capable of being shelled are not allowed; nor sliding wind-gauges on Rifles or Carbines except in Competitions 1, 5, 7, 12, and 13, and then only if they *load* *fire* form part of a Service Rifle admitted under Rule 4.

6.—Position.—Any, except in Competition No. 3, when the member must stand or kneel whilst shooting, and in Competitions Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, and 14, when he must adopt either the sitting, kneeling, or prone position.

7.—Martini-Henry and Lee-Metford ammunition will be provided on payment, and may be obtained at the Committee tent on the range.

8.—Competitors can shoot in any match at any time during the Meeting unless otherwise specified.

9.—Two sighting shots—tickets price 10 cents each to be obtained at the Committee tent—will be allowed at each range during competition.

10.—In all Competitions the number and/or values of prizes may be increased if entries and expenses admit of it.

11.—Members shooting for the Queen's Aggregate will have precedence at all ranges.

12.—Range-keepers (on the day on which they have kept or are detailed to keep a range for not less than 12 hours) and the Hon. Secretaries will have precedence over all members.

13.—Firing entries to commence at 9.30 a.m. on each day and cease at, or about, but not later than 5.30 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, and 1 p.m. on Monday, with the exception of as regards Competitions 4, 22 and 23. See Rule 14.

14.—Members are reminded that they are not entitled to fire as much, or to the enjoyment of any privileges, unless their subscriptions are paid before date of meeting.

15.—Competitions Nos. 4, 22, and 23 will be fired between 3.30 and 5.30 o'clock on Monday, 6th April, weather permitting; during which time all other Competitions will be required to cease.

16.—Lady Winners, in order of merit, shall be permitted to select their Prizes, provided that they or some persons authorized by them attend at the Committee tent at the conclusion of the Competition. Any Winner who does not attend or is not duly represented will have a prize allotted by the Committee.

17.—Every Competitor for the Queen's Prize is specially requested to send in his scores not later than 2.30 p.m. on Monday, 15th April.

18.—One Blow-off shot will be allowed at the 800 and 900 yards ranges. Blow-off shots must be fired into the Blow-off pits.

19.—Ties, and matters not otherwise provided for, will be decided by Bisley Rules.

20.—Competitors must write their names and descriptions on their tickets distinctly, in English characters.

21.—The Committee tent, where tickets and all information can be obtained, will be near the 500 yards range.

22.—The Committee reserve to themselves the right to alter the description of any of the prizes herein stated, and also times of shooting, entry, ranges, and targets.

Persons wishing to join the H. R. Association should send their names, with that of proposer and seconder, to the Hon. Secretary not later than Thursday, 2nd April, at 4 o'clock p.m. Subscriptions \$5. Ladies \$3.

Ranges have been detailed as follows:—  
All competitions at—

100 yards—Friday 9.30—5.30 Police Range.  
Saturday 9.30—5.30

300 yards—Monday 2.00—5.50 Military Range (R.E.).  
Friday 9.30—5.30

500 yards—Saturday 11.00—5.30 New Military Range (H.K.R.).  
Monday 9.30—5.30

600 yards—Friday 9.30—5.30  
Saturday 9.30—5.30

800 yards—Friday 9.30—5.30  
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1200 yards—Friday 9.30—5.30  
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1400 yards—Friday 9.30—5.30  
Saturday 9.30—5.30

1600 yards—Friday 9.30—5.30  
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1800 yards—Friday 9.30—5.30  
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### Today's Advertisements.

**ZETLAND LODGE,**  
No. 525, E.C.

A REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FRASER & NEAVE HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, 1st April, at 8.30 for 9 o'clock precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend. Hongkong, 1st April, 1896. [583]

**CITY HALL**  
**WILLARD OPERA COMPANY,**

To-night (Wednesday), 1st, ARTIST'S MODEL. To-morrow (Thursday), 2nd, NEW BARMAN. Friday, 3rd, NO PERFORMANCE. Saturday, 4th, The Great Modern Burlesque IN TOWN. [584]

**NOTICE.**  
MR. FRANCIS MAITLAND is authorized to SIGN our FIRM from the 1st April, 1896. LINSTAD & DAVIS. Hongkong, 1st April, 1896. [602]

**NOTICE.**  
MR. GEORGE HUTTON POTTS has been admitted a PARTNER in our FIRM as from this date. The style of the Firm will henceforth be BENJAMIN, KELLY and POTTS. BENJAMIN & KELLY. Hongkong, 1st April, 1896. [603]

**NOTICE.**  
I HAVE This Day established myself as SHARE and GENERAL BROKER. O. VON DER HEYDE. Hongkong, 1st April, 1896. [604]

**CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
FOR KOBE.

**THE Steamship**  
"CHANGSHA." Captain Williams, will be despatched TO-MORROW, the 2nd instant, at 10 A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 1st April, 1896. [551]

**CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
FOR MANILA (DIRECT).

**THE Steamship**  
"SUNGKIANG." Captain C. B. Dodd, will be despatched TO-MORROW, the 2nd instant, at 4 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 1st April, 1896. [575]

**OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**  
FOR SHANGHAI.

(Taking Cargo at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEWCANG TIENTSIN, HANKOW AND PORTS on the YANGTZE.)

**THE Company's Steamship**  
"SARPEDON." Captain M. H. F. Jackson, will be despatched above on SATURDAY, the 4th instant. For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 1st April, 1896. [606]

**OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**  
FOR SHANGHAI.

(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEWCANG TIENTSIN, HANKOW AND PORTS on the YANGTZE.)

**THE Company's Steamship**  
"PALINURUS." Captain T. S. Jackson, will be despatched above on SATURDAY, the 4th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 1st April, 1896. [607]

**THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
FOR LONDON AND HOLLAND, VIA STRAITS AND USUAL PORTS OF CALL.

(Taking transhipment cargo for LIVERPOOL, GLASGOW, &c.)

**THE Company's Steamship**  
"PINGSUEY." D. Davies, Commander, will be despatched above on or about the 21st inst., to be followed a week later by the "TRENKAL." For Freight, &c., apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 1st April, 1896. [608]

**Intimations.**  
**DAKIN, CRICKSHANK & COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
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### Intimations.

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**BRANDY.**—All our Brandy is guaranteed to be pure Cognac, the difference in price being merely a question of age and vintage.

**WHISKY.**—All our Whisky is of excellent quality and of greater age than most brands in the market. The SCOTCH WHISKY marked "E" is universally popular, and is pronounced by the best local connoisseurs to be superior to any other brand in the Hongkong market.

We only guarantee our WINES and SPIRITS to be genuine when bought direct from us in the Colony or from our authorized Agents at the Coast Ports.

**A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.**  
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.  
Hongkong, 10th January, 1896.

**The Hongkong Telegraph**  
HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 1896.

**TELEGRAMS.**  
REUTER'S MESSAGE.

**THE SHIP OF STATE.**  
LONDON, March 30th.

Mr. Curzon, speaking in the House of Commons, said that affairs in South Africa and the United States still required vigilance and careful steering, but he was hopeful of weathering the storm.

(From *L'Avenir du Tonkin*.)  
**THE BEAR GROWLING AGAIN.**  
PARIS, March 31st.

The Russian Press highly disapproves of the Anglo-Egyptian expedition to Dongola, which it asserts is a pretext for the perpetual occupation of Egypt by the British.

**THE WAR IN ABYSSINIA.**  
PARIS, March 22nd.

The Italian Chamber has passed the additional vote for 140 million *lire*, for prosecuting the war in Abyssinia, by 214 to 57.

King Menelik demands, as a condition of peace, an indemnity of 25,000,000. In consequence of the attitude of King Menelik the prospects of the conclusion of terms of peace are less hopeful.

**LOCAL AND GENERAL.**  
NINE cases of plague to-day.

By kind permission of H.E. Vice-Admiral Buller, C.B., the band of H.M.S. *Centurion* will play in the Public Gardens from 4 to 6 p.m. to-morrow.

WILLARD's Opera Company played "Dandy Dick Whittington" to a good house last night, and were applauded to the echo. To-night they play "The Artist's Model."

It is reported that in the British Naval statements for 1895-97, the subsidy for merchant steamers belonging to the Naval Reserve will be doubled. This is expected to lead to orders for a dozen new passenger steamers, to be built in accordance with Admiralty requirements.

SKYNN men bowled out a Sydney tele-proprietor beautifully the other day. Each put \$5 on a pony, and when the printed card appeared the horse in question was shown to be backed by one only. The "bookie" had a bad time when the seven turned up, and an erstwhile prize-fighter was knocked about rather during explanations.

THE Cyanide Process is, according to a Sydney paper, skirting itself at Croydon more than on any other Australian field. Last year it increased the gold output by nearly 30 per cent. In February one company handled 2,500 tons of tailings. Cost of treatment, including royalty, 6s. 6d. per ton. At one time Croydon was, it was thought, too costly for cyanide, but practice has shown it remarkably well adapted therefore.

THE *Deloitte Free Press* remarks that modern legislators will soon find means to put out that Roentgen light if it really enables one to see through a man.

ANDREW CARNEGIE, the "Iron King," has announced that he will give \$50,000 a year for the embellishment of the museums and the art gallery at Pittsburgh bearing his name. The only provision that he attaches to the gift is that two or more pictures by American artists be purchased each year.

It is reported by the Singapore *Free Press* that in July next a grand Durbar will be held in Kuala Lumpur to inaugurate the Federation of the Malay States. All the signatories to the Agreement of Federation will be present, together with H.E. the Governor of the Straits Settlements, the Resident-General and the British Residents of the various Protected States.

UPWARDS of fifteen thousand revolvers and ten thousand rifles have been shipped hence to Macao during the past eight weeks, together with a large quantity of ammunition. Of course these arms are not required in Macao, and it is understood that they are sent from Macao to China in junk chartered by Chinese who are hatching a plot to subvert the Manchu rule in the southern provinces.

CONTRARY to general expectation Mr. John Andrew, who has been rusticated at Wuchow for several weeks, did not arrive by the *Powan* this afternoon, so several friends who waited on the Canton Steamboat wharf to welcome him back to civilization once more had to go away disappointed. He has, we believe, been unexpectedly detained at Canton settling official business with the British Consul, and will be here in all probability on Saturday or Monday next.

We much regret to have to report that two young children of Mr. Gidley, a warder of Victoria Gaol, have fallen victims to the plague, one dying this morning, and the other, aged 4 years, being now in a very critical state. They were removed at once on signs of the plague being observed to the Government Hospital, while the mother and father of the children have been sent to what the Secretary of the Sanitary Board informs us is "some Government building in the Hill District."

It will be learnt with very great regret, says the *North China Daily News*, that the illness of Mrs. George Jamieson is so serious that it has been thought best that she should return to England by an early steamer. She will be accompanied by Mr. George Jamieson, who has been granted leave for that purpose. Mr. Bullock will act meantime as Consul and Assistant Judge, Mr. L. C. Hopkins will replace Mr. Bullock as Chief, and Mr. H. P. Joly will succeed Mr. Hopkins at the Shipping Office.

THERE were two fires this morning in the western part of the city. The first was in a tobacconist's shop at No. 288 Queen's Road West, at 5 o'clock, caused by the cook upsetting a kerosene lamp. The contents of the building were insured for \$1,000 in the Transatlantic Insurance Company, Messrs Siemens & Co. agents. Over \$1,500 in cash and copper coin were found by the firemen in the shop after the flames were quenched. The second fire broke out in No. 3 Wing Lok Street at 5.15 a.m., the cause in this case being also attributed to the upsetting of a lamp. The building, a two storied one, was occupied by a Chinese draper, whose stock was insured in the Sun Insurance Office, Messrs Siemens & Co. agents, for \$10,000. The contents were totally destroyed. There was plenty of water, and the Police and Fire Brigade were quickly on the spot and did excellent work in preventing the fires from spreading.

We learn from Canton that anonymous proclamations have been posted about the city offering rewards for foreigners' heads. The life of Mr. Barton, of the Customs Service, is fixed in these precious documents at \$500, the Commissioner of Customs and the Harbour Master are thought, apparently, to be worth double that amount each, and any ordinary *jan* *huat* at any sum ranging from \$50 to \$150, apiece. The natives are said to be very wrath about the canal between the Shamshien and the native city being cleared of sampans and cargo-boats, and the Customs' wise decision to cause all owners of native craft at the port to take out licenses in the usual way, hence bitter animosity against foreigners in general.

It is said that the British and French Consuls at Canton have good reason to deem it prudent to take steps to have the narrow canal separating the settlement from the native city kept clear of native craft in order to prevent mobs from rushing pell-mell into the Concession, and that this will be done in future. H.M.S. *Peggy* is at anchor off the Shamshien and special provision has, it is reported, been made for the protection of the foreigners attached to the Custom House at Canton.

**ALICE MEMORIAL AND NETHERBOLK HOSPITALS.**  
Statistics for March, 1896.

In-Patients remaining in Hospital on 1st March 17  
In-Patients admitted to Hospital during March 25

Total number treated as In-Patients 42  
Of these there were—  
Discharged cured 16  
Discharged relieved 5  
Discharged on other grounds 3  
Died in Hospital 3

In-Patients remaining in Hospital on 1st April 19  
Out-Patients, new cases 523  
Out-Patients, return visits 577

Total number of Out-Patient visits 1,099  
JOHN C. THOMSON, M.D., M.A., Superintendent.

MR. T. H. KINOSLEY, tide-surveyor of the I. M. Customs, has been appointed Manager of the Chinese Engineering and Mining Company's business at Shanghai



# Masonic

**AND LODGE.**  
No. 526, E.C.  
**URGENCY MEETING** of the above  
will be held in the FREEMASONS  
Hall, 1st Street, TO-MORROW, the 2nd  
at 5.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting  
Brothers cordially invited to attend.  
31st March, 1906. '602

FIAN SOPHUS OSCAR VON  
E. in our Firm CEASED from the

last.  
CHAS. J. GAUPPE & Co.  
1st March, 1896. [599]

**SPECIAL NOTICE.**

Undersigned beg to notify public that we have This Day from Messrs. WING CHEONG FOCK-IN-TRADE, FIXTURES MILL of their BUSINESS as S and SHIP-CHANDLERS, and will be conducted from this 18th 7, 1896, as heretofore.

**FOOK CHEONG & Co.,**  
No. 44, Praya Central.  
AH YON,  
Managing Partner.  
8th February, 1896. [309]

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**CELLENT TABLE.**  
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 December, 1895. [1572]

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**P. BOHM,**  
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 3rd April, 1895. [1573]

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**THE MANAGER.**  
 11th January, 1896. [3d]

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**MANAGER**  
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**NEW VICTORIA HOTEL,**  
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11. The following information is provided for the year ended 31/12/2019:



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Hongkong, 22nd March, 1896.

## Shipping.

## STEAMERS.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

THE Steamship

"CHINGTU,"

Captain Jones, will be despatched on MON-

DAY, the 6th April.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, 23rd March, 1896.

"MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE Steamship

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

THE Steamship

"BRAEMAR,"

Captain Porter, will be despatched as above on

about MONDAY, the 6th April.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 30th March, 1896.

"GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

THE Steamship

FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship

"GLENARTNEY,"

Captain Gedy, will be despatched as above on

TUESDAY, the 7th April, at 4 P.M., instead of

as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 31st March, 1896.

"SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE Steamship

FOR HAVRE AND LONDON.

THE Steamship

"TURBO,"

Captain J. Moses, will be despatched as above

on FRIDAY, the 10th April.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 23rd March, 1896.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship

"DARDANUS,"

Captain Gregory, will be despatched as above

on MONDAY, the 13th April.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, 30th March, 1896.

OREGON RAILWAY AND NAVI-

GATION COMPANY'S PACIFIC

STEAMSHIP LINE.

CHINA AND JAPAN.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1896.

(Subject to Alteration.)

Allimore ..... Wednesday ..... 15th April.

TAKING PASSENGERS AND CARGO FOR UNITED

STATES AND CANADA AT THROUGH RATES.

THE Steamship

"ALTMORE,"

will be despatched hence for HONOLULU,

VICTORIA, B.C., and PORTLAND, OREGON,

via KOBE and YOKOHAMA, on WEDNES-

DAY, the 15th April.

Consular Invoices of Goods for United States

Points should be in QUADRUPPLICATE; and one

Copy must be sent forward by the Steamer to

the care of the GENERAL FREIGHT AGENT,

Oregon Railway and Navigation Co., Portland,

Oregon.

For further information as to Passage and

Freight, apply to

SHEWAN &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 27th March, 1896.

"RICKMERS" REGULAR LINE OF

STEAMERS.

FOR MARSEILLES, BREMEN AND

HAMBURG.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to RED SEA

Ports, Mediterranean and BLACK

SEA PORTS.)

THE Company's Steamship

"DOROTHEA RICKMERS,"

Captain Fape, will be despatched as above on

FRIDAY, the 17th April.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 23rd March, 1896.

JAVA, CHINA JAPAN LINE OF

STEAMERS.

UNDER MANAGEMENT OF THE

ROYAL PACKET NAVIGATION COMPANY

OF NETHERLANDS INDIA.

PROPOSED SAILINGS.

(Subject to Alteration.)

JAVA, HONGKONG, YOKOHAMA, KOBE,

AMOI, HONGKONG, SINGAPORE,

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FROM HONGKONG.

S.S. Cassius ..... To JAVA ..... April.

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S.S. Cassius ..... To JAPAN ..... June.

General Agents for China &amp; Japan,

LAUTS, WEGENER &amp; Co.

Hongkong, 30th March, 1896.

## Shipping.

## STEAMERS.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI.

THE Steamship

"TIENSIN,"

Captain Carmichael, will be despatched TO-

MORROW, the 2nd April, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, 1st April, 1896.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOI AND FOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship

"HAITAN,"

Captain Roach, will be despatched for the above

Ports TO-MORROW, the 2nd April, at

Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAFAIR &amp; Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, 1st April, 1896.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA.

THE Steamship

"CATHERINE APGAR,"

Captain J. G. O'Brien, will be despatched for the

above Ports TO-MORROW, the 2nd April, at

3 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 28th March, 1896.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA.

(FLORIO &amp; RUBATINO UNITED COMPANIES.)

STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, PENANG AND BOMBAY.

Having connection with Company's Mail

Steamers to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

MESSINA, NAPLES, LEGHORN and

GENOA.

ALSO

VENICE and TRIESTE, all MEDITERRA-

NEAN, ADRIATIC, LEVANTINE and

SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS up to

CALLAO.

Taking Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN

GULF and BAGDAD.

ALSO

BARCELONA, VALENZA, ALICANTE,

ALMERIA and MALAGA.

THE Steamship

"BISAGNO,"

Captain Daddo, will be despatched as above

on SATURDAY, the 4th April, at Noon.

At BOMBAY the Steamer are discharging in

VICTORIA DOCK.

For Further Particulars regarding Freight and

Passage, apply to

CARLOWITZ &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 31st March, 1896.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND

Ports, and taking through Cargo to

ADELPHI, NEW ZEALAND,

TASMANIA, &amp;c.)

THE Chartered Steamship

"OCAMPO,"

Captain Hawkins, will be despatched for the

above Ports on SATURDAY, the 11th April.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 28th March, 1896.

SAILING VESSELS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 100 A. I. British Ship

"BRODICK CASTLE,"

Ferguson, Master, will leave here for the above

Port, and will have quick dispatch.

For Freight, apply to

SHEWAN &amp; Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, 5th December, 1895.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.